

## Queen Victoria - The 'Lilac and Green' Issue (1883-1884).

This series of ten stamps formed most of the low values of the ill-fated attempt at a 'Unified' series intended for use as payment for both postage and revenue, and followed hard on the heels of the success of the 1d Lilac which was introduced in 1881. The first to be introduced was the **9d** on **1<sup>st</sup> August 1883**, with the rest following on **1<sup>st</sup> April 1884**. Note that the **½d** value was simply a continuation of the old design, but in a new colour.



39 dies



908 dies



432 dies



339 dies



900 dies



326 dies



188 dies



219 dies



302 dies



173 dies

The same basic information is presented below in tabular form.

TOTALS for the 'Lilac & Green' issue.				
	DD			DDF
Overall >	1,733			3,826
		½d	Slate	908
		1½d	Lilac	432
		2d	Lilac	339
		2½d	Lilac	900
		3d	Lilac	326
		4d	Green	188
		5d	Green	219
		6d	Green	302
		9d	Green	39
		1/-	Green	173

The above table summarises *all known G.B. Perfin dies* found on the *Queen Victoria 'Lilac & Green' Issue* - correct to **1<sup>st</sup> July 2018**.  
In view of the large quantities involved, no specific list of Perfin dies has been included.